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To: Southeast LA Area School Principals, Parents Group

Presidents, City Mayors, City Clerks and Community

Leaders

From: Christy White, Partner, NNW, and Consultant to

the California Department of Education

Re: Community Meetings on the Feasibility of Removing

the Southeast Area Schools from the Los Angeles

Unified School District (LAUSD)

Your assistance is needed in spreading the word within your organization and the Southeast Area community about the upcoming:

Community Meetings on the Feasibility of Removing the Southeast Area Schools from the Los Angeles Unified School District and forming an Independent Southeast Area Unified School District

The meetings are hosted by local city governments and feature guest speakers State Senator Martha Escutia and Assemblyman Marco Firebaugh.

These meetings are designed to solicit information from the Southeast Area community of parents, teachers, students, school administrators, civic and community leaders on the pros and cons of removing the governance, administration and operations of the Southeast Area schools from LAUSD.

The results of the meetings will be included in a feasibility study to be reported to the State Legislature next year.

Please circulate and post the enclosed flyers throughout your organization and community.

Please copy the materials as necessary or call for additional materials: Christy White 909-698-8783.

NNW also welcomes written comments sent to either of our offices (addresses to the left) from individuals or organizations.